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Sir:

Re: New United States Patent Application
Inventor(s): Morozov et al.
Title: SPECTRAL POWER EQUALIZER FOR WAVELENGTH-
MULTIPLEXED OPTICAL FIBER COMMUNICATION LINKS
Our File: 10-377 US CIP

This is a Request for filing of a new CIP patent application of U.S. Serial No: 09/727,446 filed December 4, 2000.

- 1) Declaration signed by the inventors;
- 2) **15** pages of specification (excluding drawings) including **20** claims, **3** of which are independent;
Abstract of the Disclosure
- 3) Formal drawings; (**11** pages)
- 4) Information Disclosure Statement and references

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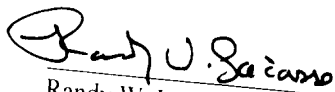
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Convention priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 with respect to U.S. Patent Appln. No: 09/727,446 filed December 4, 2000

I will be pleased to receive the filing particulars of this application.

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